IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

in re Application of:)	
Alan BERRY et al.)) Group Art Unit: 1652)
Application No.: 09/341,600	Examiner: Christian L. Fronda
Filed: September 15, 1999	Confirmation No.: 5327
Attorney Docket No.: 3161-18-PUS	AMENDMENT AND RESPONSE
For: PROCESS FOR PRODUCTION OF) N-GLUCOSAMINE)	Submitted Via Electronic Filing

Commissioner for Patents P.O. Box 1450 Alexandria, VA 22313-1450 Sir:

In reply to the Office Action dated August 14, 2006, the time for reply being extended three months to February 14, 2007, by the extension of time filed herewith, Applicants respectfully request reconsideration of this application and continued examination of the claims in light of the following amendments and remarks.

Amendments to the Claims are reflected in the listing of claims beginning on page 2 of this paper.

Remarks follow the amendment section of this paper.